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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

In re Application of :  
Norbert W. Quast :  
Application No.: 09/582,771 :  
Filed: August 29, 2000 :  
Attorney Docket No.: DB000852-000 :  
For: PROGRAM FLOW METHOD AND :  
METHOD FOR EXPANDING A :  
PROGRAM COMPONENT SYSTEM :

**DECISION ON PETITION  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

This is a decision on the petition for revival of the above-entitled application under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 13, 2006.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to submit formal drawings in a timely manner in reply to the Notice of Allowance mailed April 3, 2006 which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the above-entitled application became abandoned at midnight on July 3, 2006.

On September 13, 2006, applicant filed the petition for revival under 37 CFR 1.137(b) considered herein. The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that it includes: (1) petition fee; (2) the required statement of unintentional delay; and (3) the required reply in the form of the corrected drawing sheets. Accordingly, the corrected drawing sheets are accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

The application is being referred to the Office of Publications. Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned.

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